

## **INVITATION FOR CONSULTANT SERVICES**

### **Public Notice for Professional Consultants Colorado Department of Transportation Region 3 Project Specific: Construction Management, Inspection & Materials Testing Services Project # IM 0701-211 (18349)**

The Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) intends to hire one (1) Professional Consultant for this Project. The selected Consultant will contract to provide project specific consultant services to include those specific services set forth below.

**DESCRIPTION:** Consultant services will consist of Construction Management, Construction Inspection & Materials Testing Services for the I-70 resurfacing project on I-70 East of Mack, CO.

Provide Construction Management in support of the project boundaries on I-70 from the Mack Interchange, proceeding East from MP 11.5 to MP 16.0 for a project length of 4.5 miles.

The general planed improvement is to provide Construction Management, Inspection & Materials Testing to CDOT Region 3 Engineering West program for the I-70 East of Mack Resurfacing Project IM 0701-221 (18349). The method of compensation will be Specific Rate of Pay (SROP)

Consultant will be required to provide analysis of the Contractor's construction schedule during the course of the work. The project is estimated to begin in June 2012 and extend through December 2012.

This Project-specific contract work will be done on an "as needed" basis. The term "as needed" means neither CDOT nor the consultant has an obligation under the contract unless and until a task order is issued. Contracts resulting from the Invitation for Consultant Services are considered a "pricing agreement". CDOT anticipates that the compensation format on this contract will be "cost plus fixed fee," subject to further review by CDOT. Execution of the contract will be subject to the bid award for the above-mentioned construction project.

**NOTE:** For this Project Specific Construction Management agreement, any consultants or sub consultants having more than a 20% share in the final design portion of this project shall **not** be able to compete for the construction management services contained in this advertisement.

**SPECIAL PROJECT REQUIREMENT:** All work is to be performed under the direction and supervision, appropriate to the task, of a Colorado-Licensed Professional Engineer, a Colorado-Licensed Professional Land Surveyor for Surveying services, a Colorado-Licensed Landscape Architect, a Certified Industrial Hygienist, or, as appropriate, any combination of the foregoing.

#### **Interested Consultants:**

The prime firm of each team must be on CDOT's list of prequalified consultants by **March 1, 2012**. Prequalification must be done annually. Consultants who are not prequalified or who have questions regarding their prequalification should immediately contact Bernie Rasmussen, Agreements Office at telephone (303) 757-9400.

**For the Capacity factor included in the Statement of Interest portion of the consultant's submittal, and described in the SOI/WP Preparation Instructions For Consultants, the prime firm must show, for the prime firm or any member of its team, capacity in the following disciplines:**

**CE Civil Engineering, MC – Management Construction, MT – Materials Testing**

- **Submit five (5) copies of the Statement of Interest/Work Plan no later than 12:00 noon local time Thursday March 8, 2012, to:**

Colorado Department of Transportation  
Attn: David Wells  
Contracting Officer  
4201 E. Arkansas Ave., 4<sup>th</sup> Floor - West  
Denver, CO 80222

The scope of work along with the latest "Consultant Instructions for the Statement of Interest/Work Plan" and the anticipated consultant selection schedule must be obtained from the address shown above or from the CDOT website: <http://www.dot.state.co.us/Consultants/>

Previous editions of the instructions should not be used.

**STATEMENTS OF INTEREST/WORK PLANS RECEIVED AFTER THE TIME AND DATE SPECIFIED WILL BE REJECTED. THE STATEMENT OF INTEREST/WORK PLAN MUST COMPLY WITH CDOT'S STANDARDIZED FORMAT REQUIREMENTS. PLEASE REFER TO THE INSTRUCTIONS. FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE REQUIRED FORMAT AS PROVIDED IN THE STATEMENT OF INTEREST/WORK PLAN INSTRUCTIONS MAY RESULT IN YOUR SUBMITTAL BEING REJECTED.**

**Questions of a technical nature (SOW, etc.) regarding this project may be directed to:**

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Pete Mertes</b>
<b>Organization:</b>	<b>CDOT Project Manager, Region: 3</b>
<b>Telephone:</b>	<b>(970) 683-6208</b>

**CDOT will not be holding interviews for this consultant selection.** From those firms submitting a Statement of Interest/Work Plan (SOI/WP), CDOT will short-list no less than three firms or individuals using the following criteria for final selection: Workload Factor; Project Team; Firm Capability; Past Performance on Similar Projects/Similar Teams; Work Location; Capacity; UDBE Participation; ESB Participation; Project Goals, Project Control, Project Concept, and Project Critical Issues, and CDOT will make the Final Selection at this same meeting, with alternate firms 1 and 2 listed and submitted to CDOT Chief Engineer for final approval.

NOTE: Firms submitting a Statement of Interest/Work Plan (SOI/WP) must, in their submitted SOI/WP, expressly commit, and identify by name, key employees of their own staff, as well as of the staffs of the sub-consultants on their teams, to be available to do the Work.

#### **UDBE GOAL:**

The Department has determined the contract goal for UDBE participation in this contract will be met with certified DBEs who have been determined to be underutilized on professional services contracts. At this time, **all DBEs** will be considered to be UDBEs. The UDBE goal for this project is:

**20% (Twenty Percent)**

CDOT anticipates that the compensation format on this contract will be "Specific Rate of Pay".

CDOT assumes no obligation of any kind for expenses incurred by any respondent to this solicitation. The right is also reserved by CDOT to reject any and all submittals.